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In November, 64 percent of Florida voters passed Amendment 4, a historic ballot initiative that restored voting rights to 1.4 million returning citizens with a past felony conviction.

But the Florida legislature and Governor Ron DeSantis thwarted the will of the voters — quietly passing a bill that places a restriction on that amendment, keeping those who have outstanding fines and fees from regaining their rights.

**The Florida Rights Restoration Coalition, which led the effort to pass Amendment 4, just launched a new fund to help returning citizens pay off their fines and fees so that they will be able to vote.**

[Donate now to the Fines and Fees fund.

Studies show the average fines and fees owed are between $500 and $600, so if we all pool together our resources, we can help ensure thousands of people can still vote in the upcoming elections.](https://wegotthevote.org/finesandfees/)

One hundred percent of the proceeds will go directly to those who have completed incarceration and probation but still have to complete financial portions of their sentence.

**Financial barriers should never keep people from participating in our democracy.**

Thank you for anything you can contribute,

Courtney Fuller
Public Citizen’s Democracy Is For People Campaign